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Transmitted herewith is a patent application under 37 CFR 1.53(b).				
Entitled:	BANK NOTE PROCESSING MACHINE AND METHOD FOR OPERATING BANK NOTE PROCESSING MACHINE			
<p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1. Submitted herewith are the following: 10 pages of specification. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Abstract. 1 sheet(s) of drawings. 14 claim(s). <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Oath/Declaration unsigned by each inventor. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Preliminary Amendment. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement(s). 0 pages of Form PTO-1449, and one copy of each document listed thereon. <input type="checkbox"/> Assignment of the invention, Cover Sheet, and payment of the \$_____ recordal fee. <input type="checkbox"/> certified copy of application no. _____ filed in _____. Priority is claimed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X check in the amount of \$ 710.00 including any assignment recordal fee.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 2. SMALL ENTITY STATUS IS ASSERTED pursuant to 37 CFR 1.27 for this application.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 1.17, to Deposit Account No. 02-0200.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 4. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: -- This application claims the benefit of provisional application number _____ filed _____. --</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> 5. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: -- This application is a Continuation-in-part of nonprovisional application number _____ filed _____. --</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 6. Assignee: <u>Giesecke & Devrient GmbH</u>.</p>				
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